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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application  
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For: **System and Method for Adjusting Power Amplifier Output Power in Linear dB Steps**  
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Our Ref: 2875.2860000

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1. Online Credit Card Payment Authorization in the amount of \$490.00 to cover:  
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